GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2709
ANSWERED ON:19.03.2007
KOYNA HYDRO ELECTRIC DAM
Patil Shri Shriniwas Dadasaheb

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the quantum of water allowed for west ward diversion from the Koyna Hydro Electric Dam in Maharashtra;

(b) whether the quantum of water is not to be measured during the high flood season;

(c) if so, whether a request from the State has been received by the Government for non-measurement of diversion of west ward water; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken thereon?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAIPRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) Bachawat Tribunal has permitted Maharashtra to divert upto 67.5 TMC of water annually from Koyna Project.

(b) No Sir, as per the decision of Bachawat Tribunal, the entire quantum of water diverted is to be measured.

(c) No Sir.

(d) Does not arise.